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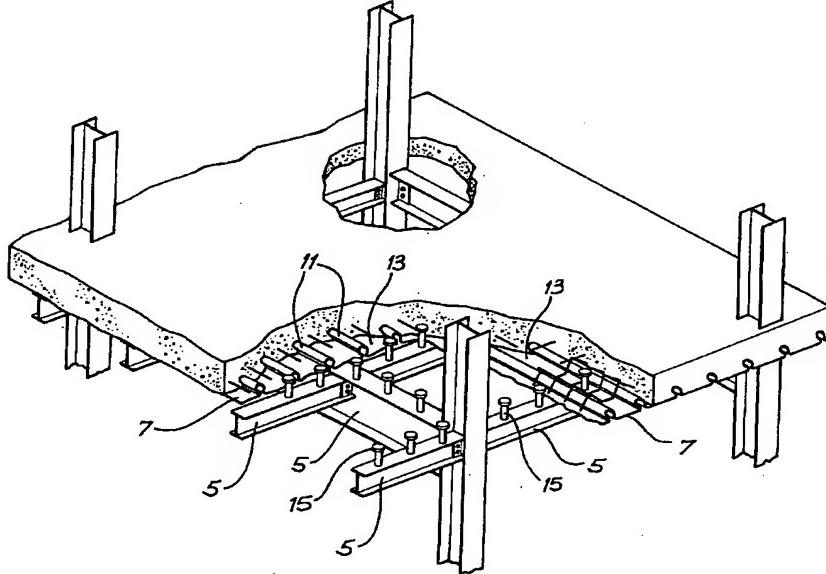
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(57) Abstract: A shear reinforcing component for preventing longitudinal shear failure of a composite element for the building industry is disclosed. The shear reinforcing component is an elongate member that has been bent into a waveform configuration.

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